

1 **WAKANAKISING ODAWAK STATUTE**
2 **AMENDMENT TO WAGANAKISING ODAWAK STATUTE 2007-001 MARRIAGE**
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5 **REPEAL :**
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7 **SECTION I. GENERAL**
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9 **C. Definitions**

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11 4. "Marriage" means the legal and voluntary union of one man and one
12 woman, to the exclusion of all others.
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15 **SECTION VI. RECOGNITION OF FOREIGN MARRIAGES,**
16 **AFFIRMANCE OF PAST TRIBAL COURT MARRIAGES**
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19 A. Recognition of foreign marriages. The Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa
20 Indians shall recognize as valid and binding any marriage formalized or solemnized in
21 compliance with the laws of the place of formalization or solemnization, except that a
22 marriage contract entered into between individuals of the same sex is not deemed valid in
23 this Tribe.
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25 **REPLACE WITH:**
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CERTIFICATION

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